

MYSORE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NINETY-SECOND DAY.

Monday, 23rd December 1963.

The House met in the Assembly Hall, Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore, at One of the Clock.

MR. SPEAKER (SRI B. VAIKUNTA BALIGA, B.A., B.L.) in the Chair.

STARRED QUESTIONS

(to which oral answers were given.)

Sanction of takavi loans for irrigation wells and pump sets in Belgaum Taluk.

* Q.—537. SRI N. O. SAMAJI (Belgaum-II).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the total number of applicants in the Belgaum Taluk who had applied for Takavi Loans for the purpose of Irrigation wells and pump sets for irrigation purposes for the last two years ;

(b) when these applications were received ;

(c) how many of the applicants have been granted takavi loans during the above said period ;

(d) how many have not been sanctioned and on what grounds ;

(e) whether there is any time limit fixed for granting takavi loans for these purposes ?

A.—SRI M. V. KRISHNAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

(a) Number of applications received :

Year		For wells	For pump sets.
1961-62	...	49	25
1962-63	...	467	152
(b) During the period from 1st April 1961 to 31st July 1963.			
(c) Number of applications sanctioned :			
		For wells	For pump sets.
1961-62	...	18	5
1962-63	...	158	55

(SRI M. V. KRISHNAPPA)

(d)—

	For wells	For pump sets.
1 For want of security.	229	46
2 For non-continuance of the Scheme for supply of pump sets.	...	23
3 Under scrutiny with Block Development Officer.	33	...
4 Pending for want of funds	78	...
5 No. of applications which could not be processed and finalised before the close of the financial year 1962-63.	...	48

(e) The time limit fixed for disposal of applications for grant of loans for construction of irrigation wells is 2 months from the date of receipt of the application.

Sri N. O. SAMAJI [*Marathi*].—

† Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA.—Whenever they call for applications, all the applicants cannot be given because the total number of applications will be always beyond the amount available. But in the case of Belgaum we have sanctioned them some additional funds after the Honourable Member sent this question; about 20 days back, we gave that money.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—In answer (d) item No. 3, 'Under scrutiny with Block Development Officer . . . 33.' From what date these are pending before the B.D.Os. and they have been still pending?

Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA.—It has been answered earlier. For want of funds. These 33 applications perhaps will be given when they get the additional funds.

Sri M. Y. GHORPADE.—In view of the paucity of funds at the disposal of Government, will the Government decide on a clear policy to concentrate these funds in non-irrigated areas?

Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA.—In fact, while we take up well irrigation works, mostly it is confined to scarcity areas and in a few cases we may have to extend to other areas also. Wherever there are no future possibilities of irrigation, those areas will be given priority.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—Regarding (d) (1), for want of security, applications for 229 wells and 46 pump sets have been rejected. May I know whether the offer of security is very severely administered by the officers concerned and unless the applicant uses some undue influence, it is very difficult for them to get these applications approved?

†Indicates that the remarks or speeches have not been revised by the member concerned

Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA.—Because we give Rs. 3,000 for each well, the officer concerned generally wants sufficient security. Because, it is public money and Government insists that it should be given to such people who could repay it without any difficulty. If such officer does not take proper security, afterwards he will be punished by the concerned department. So the officers generally will be very strict in these matters. But the present scheme is a liberalised scheme. We have told the officers not to insist on so much of security since the wells that are going to be constructed will add to the value of the property. So, officers are not so strict as formerly.

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—In view of the paucity of funds at the disposal of Government, the Deputy Commissioner, Belgaum seems to resort to the Central Co-operative Bank funds. Will the Government intensify the loaning process to take greater loans from the D.C.C. Banks and help more farmers to avail of funds?

Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA.—Apart from the liberalised scheme of the Government for digging irrigation wells, some land Mortgage Banks do give money and even in respect of District Banks, also, there are cases where they have lent money up to rupees three to four thousand for digging wells. Government generally co-operate in such matters. There the interest is more and here the farmers get loans at the rate of 3 per cent interest and the loan is to be repaid in ten easy instalments in 10 years and they get a subsidy of Rs. 500 for Rs. 3,000. While all these points are there in the other scheme, they have to pay 6-7 per cent interest and the number of instalments will be less and there is no subsidy involved. That is why people want a particular type of scheme.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—On our side people want to dig wells on lands which are now termed as waste and for these lands the assessment is very low. But when the well is dug, then it will be turned into a garden land and the price will go up to many times. If the assessment is one rupee, the officers will value the land up to Rs. 150 or 200 and if the well is dug up, it will fetch more than Rs. 1,000. These considerations should be taken into account by the officers who sanction these amounts and not insist on having bigger lands or more valuable lands as security.

Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA.—In the Deputy Commissioners' meeting, we discussed all these points. Especially in North Karnatak area, the valuation of land is very low and even a man some times owning about 15 acres of land get proper security to take Rs. 3,000, whereas in other areas it is not so. The officers should take the present market value of the land; it depends mostly on the officers concerned. The officers take the present market value of the land and it mostly depends upon the officers. We have, anyhow, given instructions to those officers to be liberal in valuing these securities.

Sri ANDANIAH.—What is the total amount sanctioned to Belgaum for 1961-62 and 1962-63?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ವರ್ಷದ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭದಲ್ಲೇ 12 ಲಕ್ಷ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿತ್ತು. ಈಗ ಬೇರೆ 13 ಲಕ್ಷ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಪಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಗಿರಿಮಠ.—ಈ ಲಬರೇಸ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ವೀಮಿನಲ್‌ದರೂ ಹರಿಜನರಿಗೆ 2 ಎಕರೆ ಜಮೀನಿದ್ದರೂ ಕೂಡ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಸಾಲ ಸಿಕ್ಕುವಂತೆ ಒಂದು ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಮಾಡಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ಅವರ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ನಿಮಗೆಷ್ಟು ಸಿಂಪತಿ ಇದೆಯೋ ಅಷ್ಟೇ ಸಿಂಪತಿ ನಮಗೂ ಇದೆ. ಆದರೆ ಬಾವಿಗೆ ಪಡೆದ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಬೇರೆ ಕೆಲಸಕ್ಕೆ ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆಂದು ನಮಗೆ ದೂರುಗಳು ಬರುತ್ತಿವೆ. ಅಷ್ಟೇ ವಿನಾ ಇನ್ನೇನೂ ತೊಂದರೆಯಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ಜಮೀನು ಅಷ್ಟೇ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಬೆಲೆಯಾದರೂ ಬಾವಿ ತೆಗೆದ ಮೇಲೆ ಅದರ ಬೆಲೆ ಜಾಸ್ತಿಯಾಗುತ್ತದೆ...

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ಬಾವಿ ತೆಗೆದರೆ...

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ಮೊದಲು 500 ರೂಪಾಯಿ ಕೊಡಿ, ಬಾವಿ ತೆಗೆದ ನಂತರ ಬಾಕಿ ಹಣ ಕೊಡಿ. ಹೀಗೆ ಯಾರೂ ಚೆನ್ನಾಗಿ ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೋ ಅವರಿಗೇಕೆ ಕೊಡಬಾರದು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ನಾವೂ ಹಾಗೇ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಚಂಪಾಬಾಯಿ ಭೋಗರೆ.—ಕೋ-ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳಿಗೆ ತಗಾವಿ ಸಾಲ ಸಿಕ್ಕುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲವೆಂಬ ಅಂಶ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಗೆ ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ಯಾರೇ ಆಗಲಿ ಆಸ್ತಿಯಿದ್ದರೇ ಸಾಲ ಸಿಗುವುದು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ರಾಮೇ ಗೌಡ.—ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕುಗಳಿಂದ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಪಡೆದು ಸೊಸೈಟಿಗಳ ಮೂಲಕ ಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಏರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ಶ್ರೀ ಶಿವರಾಮನ್ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿ ಒಬ್ಬ ಅಗ್ರಿಕಲ್ಚರಲ್ ರಿಸರ್ಚ್ ಫೈನಾನ್ಸಿಂಗ್ ಅಫೀಸರು ಡೆಲ್ಹಿಯಿಂದ ನಾಳೆ ಬರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಅವರು ಪ್ಲಾನಿಂಗ್ ಕಮೀಷನ್ನಿನ ಮೆಂಬರು, ಅವರ ಹತ್ತಿರ ಇದನ್ನು ವಿಚಾರ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆಂದಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

Total amount of T.A. drawn by each Minister and Deputy Minister from November 1962 to the end of June 1963.

* Q.—789. Sri A. KRISHNA SHETTY (Mangalore-II).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the total amount of T.A. drawn by each Minister and Deputy Minister for the period commencing from November 1962 to the end of June 1963 ;

(b) the break-up figures in regard to each Minister and Deputy Minister during the above period ?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

(a) Vide Statement I given below.

(b) Vide Statement II given below.